RESOLUTION 08-22 THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS

A RESOLUTION APPROVING THE DONATION OF THREE VEHICLES TO THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS POLICE DEPARTMENT FROM ST. MARY'S COUNTY COMMISSIONERS; AND HEREBY AUTHORIZING THE MAYOR TO ENTER INTO AN AGREEMENT TO ACCEPT THE DONATION OF SAID VEHICLES ON BEHALF OF THE TOWN

Introduced By: Mayor Calvin Washington

WHEREAS, the Town Council has authority to approve contracts and procurements pursuant to the Town Charter, Section 33-63, and Town Code, Section 20.4; and

WHEREAS, St Mary's County Commissioners wishes to donate three (3) Police vehicles the Town, and

WHEREAS, the vehicles are in good to excellent operating condition, are accompanied by a CARFAX Vehicle History Report, and have extensive equipment already installed; and

WHEREAS, the Police Department has recently received a police officer hiring grant resulting in an increase in staff and requiring more police vehicles to accommodate the increase in personnel and for the department fleet to remain efficient; and

WHEREAS, the Chief of Police has recognized the extremely long wait and backlog for brand new police vehicle purchases and orders and finds that this donation is a temporary and interim solution to obtain needed police vehicles in a quicker and timely manner.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, that the Town Council hereby approves the Vehicle Donation Agreement attached hereto and incorporated by reference herein, according to the terms and conditions stated therein; and

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Mayor may sign said Vehicle Donation Agreement consistent with the terms and conditions agreed upon by the parties; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that this Resolution shall take effect immediately upon passage.

PASSED this <u>\(\psi\)</u> day of February 2022.

APPROVED: By Resolution of the Town Council of The Town of Forest Heights, Maryland

ROLL CALL VOTE

YEA/NAY/ABSTAIN/ABSENT

WASHINGTON

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ATTEST:

Sherletta Hawkins, Town Clerk

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THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF FOREST HEIGHTS, MARYLAND

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By: Calvin Washington, Mayor

By: Taunya Himes, Council President

CERTIFICATION

I, hereby certify, as the duly appointed Town Clerk of the Town of Forest Heights, Maryland, that on the \(\frac{1}{10} \) day of February 2022 with \(\frac{1}{10} \) Aye votes and \(\frac{1}{10} \) Nay votes the aforesaid Resolution 08-22 passed.

Sherlotta Hawkins, Town Clerk

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